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Sir:

In order to fulfill the requirements of candor and good faith set forth in 37 C.F.R.
§1.56, Applicants submit herewith the following Information Disclosure Statement in
accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and §1.98.

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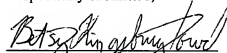
A copy of each of the references set forth above has been enclosed herewith for the convenience of the Examiner and a separate listing of the same has been set forth on the attached Form PTO-1449. A corresponding U.S. patent or publication, or an English

translation of a foreign patent document has been provided for each non-English document marked with an asterisk, to facilitate reference thereto. References that were also cited in the International Search Report, which accompanies this submission, are indicated by a double asterisk. An English abstract of all other non-English documents is submitted herewith to facilitate reference thereto.

Applicants respectfully submit that the requirements of candor and good faith set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 have been fulfilled, having submitted all known references in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and § 1.98. Applicants believe that no fee is due at this time. If it is determined that a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-2461.

In view of the present submission, it is believed that the above-referenced application is, in all respects, complete and in condition for examination and favorable consideration. If the Examiner has any questions or comments relating to the present application, he or she is respectfully invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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